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## List of Town Officers

FOR 1899 AND 1900, AND WHEN THEIR TERMS EXPIRE.

	Term Expires.
<b>CLERK.</b>	
RICHARD T. LOMBARD . . . . .	1900
<b>TREASURER.</b>	
HENRY F. LEE . . . . .	1900
<b>AUDITOR.</b>	
ALFRED H. BRYANT . . . . .	1900
<b>COLLECTOR.</b>	
CHARLES F. RICHARDSON ( By appointment ) .	1900
<b>TREASURER OF LIBRARY FUNDS.</b>	
HENRY D. PARMENTER . . . . .	1900
<b>SELECTMEN.</b>	
ALBION F. PARMENTER . . . . .	1900
ELIJAH H. ATWOOD . . . . .	1900
ELBRIDGE A. CARTER . . . . .	1900
<b>OVERSEERS OF POOR.</b>	
GEORGE B. HOWE . . . . .	1900
DAVID P. W. LOKER . . . . .	1900
THEO. S. SHERMAN . . . . .	1900

## SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

DELOSS W. MITCHELL . . . . .	1900
L. ANNA DUDLEY . . . . .	1901
ERNEST E. BUTLER . . . . .	1902

## ASSESSORS.

RICHARD T. LOMBARD . . . . .	1900
EDWARD CARTER . . . . .	1901
NATHANIEL R. GERALD . . . . .	1902

## WATER COMMISSIONERS.

WILLIAM M. FULLICK . . . . .	1900
CHARLES H. BOODEY . . . . .	1901
HENRY G. DUDLEY . . . . .	1902

## TRUSTEES PUBLIC LIBRARY.

JOHN CONNOLLY . . . . .	1900
CHAS. F. RICHARDSON . . . . .	1900
ARTHUR G. BENNETT . . . . .	1901
CHESTER B. WILLIAMS . . . . .	1901
HARRY E. CARSON . . . . .	1902
FRANCIS SHAW . . . . .	1902

## CONSTABLES.

MARSHALL C. BALDWIN . . . . .	1900
JESSE W. JENNISON . . . . .	1900
ERNEST E. LAWRENCE . . . . .	1900
LAWRENCE H. McMANUS . . . . .	1900
ANDREW S. MORSE . . . . .	1900
WILLIAM C. NEAL . . . . .	1900
COLIN C. WARD . . . . .	1900

## TRUSTEES OF ALLEN FUND.

ISAAC DAMON . . . . .	1900
WM. H. CAMPBELL . . . . .	1900
DANIEL D. GRIFFIN . . . . .	1900

## FENCE VIEWERS.

ALBION F. PARMENTER . . . . .	1900
ISAAC DAMON . . . . .	1900
EDWARD CARTER . . . . .	1900

## FIELD DRIVERS.

IRA S. DICKEY . . . . .	1900
CYRUS A. ROAK . . . . .	1900

## SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

RICHARD T. LOMBARD . . . . .	1900
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## MEASURERS OF WOOD AND BARK.

GEORGE B. HOWE . . . . .	1900
EDWARD CARTER . . . . .	1900
WILLIAM S. LOVELL . . . . .	1900

## SURVEYOR OF LUMBER.

FRANK HAYNES . . . . .	1900
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## SUPERINTENDENTS OF CEMETERIES.

ANDREW S. MORSE . . . . .	1900
(Vacancy)	

## FINANCE COMMITTEE.

ALBION F. PARMENTER . . . . .	1900
RICHARD T. LOMBARD . . . . .	1900
DAVID P. W. LOKER . . . . .	1900
DELOSS W. MITCHELL . . . . .	1900
CHAS. H. BOODEY . . . . .	1900
JOHN CONNOLLY . . . . .	1900
HENRY F. LEE . . . . .	1900
CHAS. H. MAY . . . . .	1900
CHAIRMAN OF SINKING FUND COMMISSIONERS	1900

## COMMITTEE OF MEMORIAL DAY.

EDISON C. DAVIS . . . . .	1900
ALFRED W. LOMBARD . . . . .	1900
CLIFFORD A. BRYANT . . . . .	1900
LORENZO R. LOVELL . . . . .	1900
DAVID P. W. LOKER . . . . .	1900

## ENGINEERS OF FIRE DEPARTMENT.

EDWIN W. MARSTON, <i>Chief</i> . . . . .	1900
FRANK E. YEAGER . . . . .	1900
ARTHUR J. RICKER . . . . .	1900

## SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS.

CHARLES H. MAY . . . . .	1900
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## REGISTRARS OF VOTERS.

JAMES H. CARROLL, <i>Chairman</i> . . . . .	1901
THEO. L. SAWIN . . . . .	1900
CHAS. F. WHITTIER . . . . .	1902
RICHARD T. LOMBARD, <i>Town Clerk, ex-officio</i> . . . . .	1900

## SINKING FUND COMMISSIONERS.

EDWIN W. MARSTON . . . . .	1900
HENRY D. PARMENTER . . . . .	1901
CHESTER B. WILLIAMS . . . . .	1902



## Annual Town Meeting, March 26, 1900.

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### WARRANT.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

MIDDLESEX, SS.

*To Lawrence H. McManus, or either of the Constables of the Town of Wayland, in said County,*

*Greeting :*

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the qualified voters of said Town of Wayland to meet at the Town Hall, Wayland, on Monday, March 26th, 1900, at 6.30 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles, viz. : —

ARTICLE 1. To choose by ballot a Moderator to preside in said meeting.

ART. 2. To choose a Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector of Taxes, Auditor, Highway Surveyor, three Selectmen, one Overseer of the Poor, Treasurer of the Library Funds, and seven Constables, all for one year. One Overseer of the Poor for two years. One School Committee, one Assessor, one Water Commissioner, one Sinking Fund Commissioner, one Overseer of the Poor, and two Trustees of the Public Library, all for three years. Also to answer the following question, " Shall licenses for the sale of intoxicating liquors be granted in the Town of Wayland for the year ensuing ? "

All names of candidates for the offices aforesaid and the said question must appear upon the official ballot, and be voted for in

accordance with Chapter 548 of the Acts of the General Court for the year 1898. For the purposes specified in this article the polls will be opened immediately after the election of a moderator, and will remain open continuously for at least four hours, when they may be closed.

ART. 3. To choose all other necessary Town Officers, Agents and Committees and hear reports of Town Officers, Trustees, Agents and Committees, and act thereon.

ART. 4. To see how much money the town will grant for paying interest, existing debts, for roads and bridges, for support of poor, for support of schools, school supplies, repairs of school buildings and transportation of scholars, for the fire department, for abatement of taxes and for all other necessary town purposes and order the same to be assessed, or do or act.

ART. 5. To authorize the Selectmen to consult counsel on important town cases.

ART. 6. To see if the town will authorize its Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money temporarily in anticipation of taxes for the municipal year 1900 and 1901, and if so how much, or do or act.

ART. 7. To see if the town will accept the list of Jurors as prepared by the Selectmen.

ART. 8. To appropriate the money received from the County Treasurer for dog licenses.

ART. 9. To see if the town will appoint a Committee or Agent to oppose the lease of the Fitchburg Railroad by the Boston & Maine R. R. Co., or do or act.

ART. 10. To see if the town will appropriate money to drain a portion of the Concord Road by a culvert near the entrance to the driveway of Frederick H. Fowler, or do or act.

ART. 11. To see if the town will sell the Town Farm, or any part of the same, and appoint a Committee to execute the deed or deeds of the same, or do or act.

ART. 12. To see if the town will add the name of the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department to the Finance Committee.

ART. 13. To see if the town will elect a Board of Health, and fix their pay, or do or act.

ART. 14. To see if the town will purchase two sidewalk snow plows, or do or act.

ART. 15. To see if the town will extend the Street Electric Lights to Fisk's Corner, or do or act.

ART. 16. To see if the town will appropriate money for sidewalks, or do or act.

ART. 17. To see if the town will appropriate the sum of two hundred dollars to repair Mitchell street, and its extension from Plain street to the Catholic cemetery, or do or act.

ART. 18. To see if the town will publish annually in the Town Report the names of all real and personal property owners with the amount of their valuation, or do or act.

And you are requested to serve the warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at each of the Post Offices and Town House in said Town, seven days at least before the appointed time for holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place appointed for holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this sixth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand and nine hundred.

ALBION F. PARMENTER,  
ELIJAH H. ATWOOD,  
ELBRIDGE A. CARTER,

*Selectmen of Wayland.*

## List of Jurors

AS PREPARED BY THE SELECTMEN FOR THE YEAR 1900.

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Fred P. Draper.  
Jeremiah Lyons.  
Arthur T. Felch.  
John E. Linnehan.  
James I. Bryden.  
Frank Lupien.  
Samuel S. Davidson.  
Warren B. Langmaid.  
Edward B. Smith.  
Nathan S. Walton.  
Josiah W. Parmenter.  
Andrew S. Morse.  
Harry H. Rutter.

Elbridge A. Carter.  
Patrick A. Leary.  
William H. Campbell.  
Ernest E. Butler.  
Andrew S. Norris.  
Marcus M. Fiske.  
Marshall C. Baldwin.  
Wm. S. Lovell.  
Allen B. Sherman.  
Paul Paradeau.  
Chas. W. Ellms.  
Edward M. Partridge.  
Randall W. Porter.

ALBION F. PARMENTER,  
ELIJAH H. ATWOOD,  
ELBRIDGE A. CARTER,

*Selectmen of Wayland.*

## Report of the Selectmen.

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WAYLAND, March 1, 1900.

The Selectmen hereby submit their annual report as required by the By-laws of the town.

We have appointed the following officers as required by statute :

*Undertakers.* D. P. W. Loker, Andrew S. Morse.

*Engineers of Fire Department.* E. W. Marston, A. J. Ricker, Frank E. Yeager.

*Inspector of Cattle and Provisions.* Thos. Bryant, V. S.

*Superintendent of Streets.* Chas. H. May.

*Public Weighers.* Geo. B. Howe, L. K. Lovell, Alfred W. Lombard

*Fish and Game Warden.* John J. Irwin.

*Special Police.* Arthur F. Felch, C. C. Ward, M. W. Hynes, J. E. Linnehan, C. W. Ellms, Frank Jameson.

*Registrar of Voters for three years.* Theo. S. Sherman. Appointed C. F. Whittier to fill the unexpired term of T. S. Sherman, resigned.

We have appointed C. F. Richardson temporary tax collector to fill vacancy caused by the death of Willard B. Ward, who was elected tax collector at the annual town meeting, March 27, 1899.

*Election Officers.* *Precinct 1.* Warden, M. W. Hynes ; Clerk, Wm. H. Campbell ; Inspectors, A. W. Lombard, Edw. F. Lee, Wm. Stearns, H. W. Parmenter ; Constable, A. S. Morse. *Precinct 2.* Warden, C. S. Williams ; Clerk, E. E. Butler ; Inspectors, H. G. Dudley, L. A. Loker, P. A. Gormon, N. R. Gerald.

According to a vote of the town, the road at the willows has been widened at an expense of (\$385.15) three hundred and eighty-five dollars and fifteen cents.

And a railing put up at an expense of (\$26.00) twenty-six dollars.

In regard to Baldwin's bridge we have petitioned the county commissioners to rebuild the bridge and have reason to believe they will take the matter up in a short time.

The town lines were perambulated between Wayland and Weston, Sept. 28, 1899.

We have granted a franchise to the Waltham, Weston & Wayland Street R. R. Co. to build an electric road from Wayland Centre to the Weston line.

In the case of Lupien against the town of Wayland, the jurors disagreed nine in favor of the town and three in favor of Lupien.

We have petitioned the state highway commission to continue the state road from where it is already built to the centre of the town, and we have every reason to believe that it will be built this year.

We recommend that the town make a small appropriation for the maintenance of the fire department.

ALBION F. PARMENTER,  
ELIJAH H. ATWOOD,  
ELBRIDGE A. CARTER,

*Selectmen of Wayland.*

## Report of Town Clerk and Registrar.

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WAYLAND, January 1st, 1900.

I hereby transmit the annual report of the clerk and registrar for the year ending December 31st, 1899.

### BIRTHS.

The births registered during the year were thirty-two, being ten less than in 1898.

Males . . . . .	17
Females . . . . .	15
Born of native parents . . . . .	13
“ foreign parents . . . . .	8
“ native and foreign parents . . . . .	11

### MARRIAGES.

The number registered during the year was twenty-four, being three less than in 1898.

Native birth of both parties . . . . .	14
Native and foreign birth . . . . .	8
Foreign birth of both parties . . . . .	2
First marriage of both parties . . . . .	18
Second marriage of both parties . . . . .	2
First of one and second of the other . . . . .	4

## DEATHS.

The number registered during the year was twenty-seven, being five less than in 1898.

## CONDITION.

Married . . . . .	10
Widowed . . . . .	8
Single . . . . .	9
Native birth . . . . .	18
Foreign birth . . . . .	9
Males . . . . .	13
Females . . . . .	14

Names and ages of persons deceased during the year who were over seventy years of age :

	Years.	Months.	Days.
Rebecca J. Dickey . . . . .	73	6	
Lafayette Dudley . . . . .	74	5	25
Hannah Hyde . . . . .	78		
Margaret E. Dolan . . . . .	83		
Katharine Demers . . . . .	78	7	20
Sarah A. Morse . . . . .	83	8	12
David H. Pierce . . . . .	84	9	21
Eustache Rasico . . . . .	77		
Willard B. Ward . . . . .	70	8	11
Hannah W. Pousland . . . . .	75	7	
Margaret Egan . . . . .	80		

## NOSOLOGICAL TABLE.

Heart disease . . . . .	2
Pneumonia . . . . .	2
Bright's disease . . . . .	1
Phthisis pulmonis . . . . .	2
Cancer . . . . .	1
Consumption . . . . .	1
Blood clot . . . . .	1
Old age . . . . .	3
Inflammation of brain . . . . .	1



Inflammation of liver	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Dysentery	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Hemorrhage	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Tuberculosis	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Gangrene	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Paralysis	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Meningitis	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Typhoid fever	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Cholera infantum	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Apoplexy	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Blood poison	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Inanition	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Accident	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1

## DOGS.

109 males at \$2.00	.	.	.	.	.	\$218 00
16 females at \$5.00	.	.	.	.	.	80 00
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						\$298 00
125 licenses at 20 cents	.	.	.	.	.	25 00
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Amount net	.	.	.	.	.	\$273 00

## VOTERS.

Number registered Nov. 7, 1899	.	.	.	474
Precinct I	.	.	.	147
Precinct II	.	.	.	327
Ballots cast Precinct I	.	.	.	73
“ “ Precinct II	.	.	.	237
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Total vote	.	.	.	310
Number of women voters	.	.	.	73

No women ballots were cast at the last annual town meeting.

## VOTE FOR GOVERNOR.

Albert B. Coats . . . . .	5
W. Murray Crane . . . . .	176
Robert Treat Paine, Jr. . . . .	101
George R. Peare . . . . .	13
Winfield P. Porter . . . . .	3

## VOTE FOR SENATOR.

Fred Joy . . . . .	172
Frederic R. S. Mildon . . . . .	108

## VOTE FOR REPRESENTATIVES IN THE 21ST MIDDLESEX DISTRICT.

Names of towns.	Geo. Balcom.	Lucius P. Bent.	Wm. M. Brigham.	Geo. A. Haynes.	Blanks
Marlborough	1089	841	1436	385	473
Sudbury	25	70	76	62	67
Wayland	81	207	86	82	164
Total	1195	1118	1598	529	704

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD T. LOMBARD,  
*Town Clerk.*

## Assessors' Report.

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WAYLAND, March 1, 1900.

*To the Inhabitants of Wayland:*

The present year marks the highest tax rate Wayland has ever had, and such a rate is alike a burden to the farmer, manufacturer, merchant and artisan ; in fact its baneful effect is injurious to all, especially to those who own small homesteads and depend on their daily manual labor to support their families.

Seemingly the time has come when appropriations should be small, and these disbursed with the greatest economy. Such a rate of taxation, to a large extent, prevents the sale of real estate, and is an effectual bar to incoming wealth.

As the manufacturers of the town did not bring in any "lists" to the assessors of the value of their machinery and stock, we were compelled to employ the best means at our command to make the assessment proportionate to both the large and small factories — the basis of such computation being the number of employees. While we could not hope, with the limited information furnished us, to make this assessment absolutely just or to please all, yet, as no applications for abatement have been made to the assessors, it would seem as if there were no grounds for complaint.

A large number of the tax payers have asked the assessors to recommend that the "valuation list" for the year 1900 be printed. It would seem to be desirable to have the list of the last year of the century prepared for circulation, no list having been printed since 1882.

Under Chap. 578, Acts of 1898, the Natick & Cochituate Street Railway Co. paid its first excise tax to the town on its four and nine-tenths miles of track within our limits. The tax amounted to \$174.60.

## STATISTICS.

Value of real estate May 1, 1899 . . .	\$1,314,720 00
"    personal estate May 1, 1899 . . .	266,605 00
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Total valuation . . . . .	\$1,581,325 00
"    May 1, 1898 . . . . .	1,648,465 00
Decrease . . . . .	67,140 00
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Taxes assessed for town purposes . . . . .	\$29,519 22
Overlayings . . . . .	560 52
State tax . . . . .	900 00
Special marsh land tax . . . . .	330 52
County tax . . . . .	1,626 24
Additional assessments . . . . .	220 40
Omitted tax . . . . .	7 20
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Total taxes committed for collection . . . . .	\$33,164 10
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Number of polls assessed May 1, 1899 . . . . .	655
"    "    "    1898 . . . . .	635
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Increase of polls . . . . .	20
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Whole number of persons assessed . . . . .	957
"    "    residents assessed on property . . . . .	424
"    "    non-residents assessed on prop- erty . . . . .	149
Total number assessed on property . . . . .	573
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Total value of land . . . . .	\$480,190 00
"    "    buildings . . . . .	834,530 00
Value of church property . . . . .	31,040 00
"    town property . . . . .	138,923 00

Number of horses assessed	.	.	.	.	.	407
" " cows	"	.	.	.	.	752
" " sheep	"	.	.	.	.	26
" " swine	"	.	.	.	.	606
" " fowls	"	.	.	.	.	2,105
" " dwelling houses assessed	.	.	.	.	.	428
" " acres of land	"	.	.	.	.	9,206 1-12

Rate of taxation for 1899, \$20.00 per thousand.

" " " 1898, 17.60 " "

Taxes abated, assessed 1897 on real estate	.	\$46 40
" " " 1898 " " . .	.	63 36
" " " 1899 " " . .	.	106 00

No abatement of personal property tax has been made.

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD T. LOMBARD,  
EDWARD CARTER,  
NATHANIEL R. GERALD,  
*Assessors of Wayland.*

## Collector's Report.

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Concerning taxes collected by Willard B. Ward, from March 1, 1899, to Oct. 2, 1900, inclusive.

### TAXES OF 1895.

Balance due March 1, 1899, as per last report	.	.	\$172 71
Uncollected.			
Interest, \$164.59.			

### TAXES OF 1896.

Balance due March 1, 1899, as per last report	.	.	\$2,309 16
Paid treasurer	.	.	1,018 91
			\$1,290 25
Balance uncollected Oct. 2, 1900	.	.	

### TAXES OF 1897.

Balance due March 1, 1899, as per last report	.	.	\$7,168 28
Paid treasurer	.	.	2,453 46
			\$4,714 82
Balance uncollected Oct. 2, 1900	.	.	

### TAXES OF 1898.

Balance due March 1, 1899, as per last report	.	.	\$12,886 58
Paid treasurer	.	.	3,849 34
			\$9,037 24
Balance uncollected Oct. 2, 1900	.	.	

## TAXES OF 1899.

Taxes assessed for 1899, as per warrants :

Town tax . . . . .	\$29,519 22
Overlayings . . . . .	560 52
Additional assessments . . . . .	23 40
State tax . . . . .	900 00
Special (marshland) tax . . . . .	330 52
County tax . . . . .	1,626 24
Total taxes assessed to Oct. 2, 1900 . . . . .	— — — \$32,959 90
Paid treasurer . . . . .	10,524 00
Balance uncollected Oct. 2, 1900 . . . . .	<u>\$22,435 90</u>

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK T. GERRY,

*Administrator Estate of Willard B. Ward.*

## Report of Temporary Collector.

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### TAXES.

Amount of taxes in tax list for 1899 committed with warrant therefore to temporary collector . . . . .	\$22,417 50
Additional assessments . . . . .	204 20
	\$22,621 70

Abatements . . . . .	\$106 00
Credit for tax paid former collector . . . . .	10 00
	\$116 00
	\$22,505 70

Total collection to March 1, 1900 :

Paid treasurer . . . . .	\$10,343 28
Cash on hand . . . . .	253 93
	\$10,597 21
Balance still due . . . . .	\$11,908 49

Amount of taxes, in tax list for 1898 committed with warrant therefor to temporary collector . . . . .	\$8,856 46
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Abatements . . . . .	\$49 28
Credit for taxes paid former collector . . . . .	20 24
	69 52
	\$8,786 94



Collections to March 1, 1900, and paid to treasurer . . . . .	\$2,016 09
Balance still due . . . . .	<u>\$6,770 85</u>
Amount of taxes in tax list for 1897 committed with warrant therefor to temporary collector . . . . .	\$4,660 86
Abatements . . . . .	\$44 80
Credit for tax paid former collector . . . . .	16 80
	<u>61 60</u>
	<u>\$4,599 26</u>
Collections to March 1, 1900, and paid to treasurer . . . . .	1,068 21
Balance still due . . . . .	<u>\$3,531 05</u>
Amount of taxes in tax list for 1896 committed with warrant therefor to temporary collector . . . . .	\$2,361 07
Credits allowed for taxes paid to former collector . . . . .	445 79
	<u>\$1,915 28</u>
Collections to March 1, 1900, and paid to treasurer . . . . .	380 13
Balance still due . . . . .	<u>\$1,535 15</u>
Amount of taxes in tax list for 1895 committed with warrant therefor to temporary collector . . . . .	\$367 97
Credits allowed for taxes paid former collector . . . . .	25 83
	<u>\$342 14</u>
Collections to March 1, 1900, and paid to treasurer . . . . .	55 86
Balance still due . . . . .	<u>\$286 28</u>

## INTEREST.

Interest on taxes for 1899, collected and paid treasurer	\$72 71
Interest on taxes for 1898, collected and paid treasurer	142 52
Interest on taxes for 1897, collected and paid treasurer	124 33
Interest on taxes for 1896, collected and paid treasurer	152 99
Interest on taxes for 1895, collected and paid treasurer	13 35
	<u>\$505 90</u>
Total interest collected and paid treasurer . . . . .	\$505 90

## SUMMARY.

Total taxes committed to temporary collector . . . . .	\$38,868 06
Total collections . . . . .	\$14,117 50
Total abatements . . . . .	200 08
Total credits . . . . .	518 66
Balance to be collected . . . . .	24,031 82
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	\$38,868 06
Total taxes paid treasurer . . . . .	\$13,863 57
Total interest paid treasurer . . . . .	505 90
Taxes in cash on hand . . . . .	253 93
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	\$14,623 40
Total taxes collected . . . . .	\$14,117 50
Total interest collected . . . . .	505 90
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	\$14,623 40

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES F. RICHARDSON,

*Temporary Collector of Taxes.*

## Report of the Overseers of the Poor

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 28, 1900.

The condition of the town farm remains about the same as last year. Mr. M. Temple resigned in October, 1899, and we engaged Mr. Norman W. Saunders to fill the vacancy, and he has given general satisfaction. We have engaged him for the ensuing year.

### OUT OF DOOR POOR, PARTIAL SUPPORT.

Families aided . . . . .	12	
Persons . . . . .	42	
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		54

### IN DOOR POOR, FULL SUPPORT.

Almshouse . . . . .	2	
State Lunatic Hospital . . . . .	6	
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		8
Total number of persons aided . . . . .		<hr/>
		62

### FINANCIAL STATEMENT SHOWING ACTUAL RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FOR THE YEAR.

March 1st, 1899, unexpended balance . . .	\$420 22	
Appropriation . . . . .	2,500 00	
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		\$2,920 22

## REIMBURSEMENTS.

From town of Lexington . . . . .	\$52 00	
Town of Southboro . . . . .	159 20	
City of Everett . . . . .	32 00	
G. B. Howe, guardian of S. E. Crofoot	169 93	
Commonwealth of Massachusetts . .	36 14	
	<hr/>	\$449 27

## ALMSHOUSE RECEIPTS.

Sale of Milk . . . . .	\$921 69	
Produce, eggs and poultry . . . . .	133 92	
Cows and calves . . . . .	114 25	
Pork . . . . .	25 80	
Board of D. Mullen . . . . .	52 50	
Commonwealth of Massachusetts . .	9 64	
Labor . . . . .	44 70	
	<hr/>	\$1,302 50
Total receipts . . . . .		<hr/> \$4,671 99

## EXPENDITURES OUT DOOR POOR.

Having a settlement in Wayland and residing elsewhere.

Mrs. Emily Sumpter, Hudson . . . . .	\$68 21	
Alex. L. Benoit and family, Brockton . .	169 04	
Henry Benoit and family, Brookfield . .	92 05	
Rose Murphy, Boston . . . . .	20 00	
Miss Bessie Stone, Boston . . . . .	64 00	
	<hr/>	\$413 30

Having a settlement in Wayland and residing there.

John Chenett and family . . . . .	\$77 60	
Lewis C. Maud . . . . .	7 00	
Ann Painter . . . . .	52 00	
Louis Cormier . . . . .	75 00	
George Chalmers . . . . .	36 00	
Mrs. Nelson Leteur and family . . . . .	58 05	

Napoleon Leteur . . . . .	\$98 35	
James Foley. Died Feb. 17th, 1900 . . . . .	68 50	
Elijah Roberts and family . . . . .	31 04	
Mrs. Gayzette's boy . . . . .	19 00	
	<hr/>	\$522 54

Having a settlement in other cities and towns and residing in  
Wayland.

Thomas Mead, Everett . . . . .	\$32 00	
Mrs. H. C. McPherson, Commonwealth of Massachusetts . . . . .	12 00	
J. F. Hawkins, Southboro . . . . .	161 35	
E. Haldwell, Lexington . . . . .	52 00	
	<hr/>	\$257 35

#### IN DOOR POOR IN INSANE HOSPITALS.

Clara Davis, Westboro . . . . .	\$169 45	
S. E. Crofoot, Geo. B. Howe guardian, West- boro, died Dec. 28, 1899 . . . . .	212 25	
James A. Wing, Worcester . . . . .	169 46	
J. Frank Loker, Worcester, discharged . . . . .	86 58	
Ellen Stanton, Taunton . . . . .	169 46	
Thomas N. Collins, Foxboro, discharged . . . . .	15 07	
	<hr/>	\$822 27

#### ALMSHOUSE EXPENDITURES.

Paid Warden's salary . . . . .	\$435 30
Groceries . . . . .	243 33
Provisions . . . . .	184 12
Grain . . . . .	521 50
Horse (one) . . . . .	100 00
Cows . . . . .	147 00
Shoats . . . . .	7 50
Repairs . . . . .	9 89
Seeds . . . . .	46 43
Hay . . . . .	122 45
Tools . . . . .	78 32

Paid Fertilizer . . . . .	\$52 35	
Clothing for inmates . . . . .	13 67	
Labor . . . . .	202 89	
Fuel . . . . .	63 61	
Medical attendance for inmates . . . . .	1 55	
Veterinary services . . . . .	26 00	
Clothing and crockery . . . . .	16 24	
Blacksmithing, etc. . . . .	62 65	
Miscellaneous . . . . .	28 57	
	<hr/>	\$2,363 37

## MISCELLANEOUS.

Travelling expenses, settlement of cases, stationery, order books, etc. . . . .	\$41 09	
	<hr/>	\$4,419 92
Unexpended balance . . . . .	252 07	
	<hr/>	\$4,671 99

## OUTSTANDING CLAIMS.

Town of Hudson, bill not received.  
 City of Brockton " " "  
 " " Springfield, bill not received.  
 Commonwealth of Massachusetts, unsettled case.

## REIMBURSEMENTS DUE.

Town of Lexington . . . . .	\$52 00	
" " Southboro . . . . .	31 75	
Commonwealth of Massachusetts . . . . .	12 00	
Estate of S. E. Crofoot . . . . .	42 32	
	<hr/>	\$138 07

## INMATES AT ALMSHOUSE DURING YEAR.

Sarah Puffer, March 1, 1899, age 83 years  
 James Burke, March 1, 1899, age 72 years

## INVENTORY OF PROPERTY AT ALMSHOUSE

Two horses . . . . .	\$200 00	
Nine cows . . . . .	475 00	
Two shoats . . . . .	10 00	
Forty-four hens . . . . .	22 00	
Eight tons hay . . . . .	130 00	
Corn fodder . . . . .	8 00	
Twenty-five cords manure . . . . .	125 00	
Potatoes . . . . .	10 00	
Tools . . . . .	365 50	
Coal . . . . .	18 00	
Twenty-five cords wood . . . . .	120 00	
Forty posts, rails, etc. . . . .	8 00	
	<hr/>	\$1,491 50
Furniture and utensils (in house) . . . . .		224 47
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		\$1,715 97
Real estate . . . . .		5,800 00
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		\$7,515 97
Number of tramps lodged. . . . .	342	
Meals furnished . . . . .	310	

## REMARKS.

We were obliged to purchase another horse this year, and owing to the severe drought of the past season the products of the farm were greatly reduced, also the rise in grain, etc., has effected the profits from the milk as milk did not materially advance in price.

An appropriation of twenty-five hundred dollars is asked for on same condition as last year.

Respectfully submitted,

DAVID P. W. LOKER,  
 GEORGE B. HOWE,  
 THEODORE S. SHERMAN,  
*Overseers of the Poor.*

## Report of Trustees of Public Library.

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*To the Citizens of the Town of Wayland:*

The trustees respectfully submit the following report :

During the past year nothing out of the usual routine of the library has happened.

The annual inspection in October resulted in finding the books and furnishings in good condition, aside from the ordinary wear arising from use.

The trustees have paid all accounts to the first of March, in accordance with the town's by-laws, as will be seen in the report of their treasurer, under expressage, librarian's and assistant librarian's salaries. Heretofore the custom has been to allow the expressage, the three month's salary of librarian, and the whole year's salary of the assistant librarian to go over into the succeeding year. The unexpended balance in the treasurer's report is due to the dog tax received late in February. This has been applied to the spring books purchased early in March.

On August 7th, of this year, the first half century of the library's existence will be completed, and some fitting recognition of the fact seems worthy of the town's consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN CONNELLY, *Chairman.*

CHARLES F. RICHARDSON, *Clerk.*

ARTHUR G. BENNETT,

C. B. WILLIAMS,

HARRY E. CARSON,

FRANCIS SHAW.



## Librarian's Report.

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### *To the Board of Trustees :*

The statistical information for the year 1899 to 1900 is respectfully submitted.

ACCESSIONS.		Books.	Pamphlets.
By purchase . . . . .		115	
By gift . . . . .		182	
Bound and transferred from pamphlet department . . . . .		33	
Total . . . . .		330	
Whole number of volumes in the library .		13,274	
Pamphlets presented . . . . .		231	

CIRCULATION.		
In Cochituate village . . . . .		1,695
In Wayland Centre . . . . .		4,216
Total . . . . .		5,911

### DONORS OF BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS.

American Congregational Society . . .		1
American Library Commission . . .		1.
American Unitarian Association . . .	2	1

Bennett, Mrs. A. G.		24
Brookline Public Library		4
Brooklyn " "		2
Coolidge, Mr. James		4
Cutting, Mrs. Chas. A.	9	5
Cutting, Mr. Chas. A.	1	
Dorr, Mr. Morris	111	
Draper, Mrs. F. W.	8	
Dudley, Miss L. A.		13
Ford, Mr. A. E.	1	
Fowler, Mr. F. H.	1	
Frost, Miss A.	4	
Heard, Misses M. and E.		16
Loring, The Misses	3	49
McGlennan	1	
Melville, Mr. Geo. W.		2
Rice, Mrs. Chas. A.		4
Richardson, Mr. Chas. F.		12
Reform Club, The		1
Rowe, Mr. G. H. M.	1	
Salem Public Library		10
Sent to the reading room		212
Shaw, Mr. Francis	2	
State Government	8	27
United States Government	28	83
Unitarian Association	2	1
Villafranca, Mr. R.		1

Library reports have been received as follows: Arlington, Brookline, Brooklyn, Concord, District of Columbia, Fall River, Forbes Library, Northampton, Free Public Library Commission, Harvard College and Harvard University, Institute of Technology, Indian Rights Reservation, Lowell Textile School, Malden Metropolitan Water Board, Newton, Public Reservation, Salem, Soldiers' Home, St. Louis Mercantile Library Association, Syracuse, University of Pennsylvania, Weston and Watertown.

## CLASSES OF READING.

Art . . . . .	.04	Juvenile . . . . .	.12
Biography . . . . .	.05	Poetry . . . . .	.02
Fiction . . . . .	.50	Science . . . . .	.01
History . . . . .	.23	Travels . . . . .	.03

The reading room has received regularly The Century Magazine, Elliott's Magazine, Harper's Monthly, Munsey's, The Land of Sunshine, The Rhodosa, Woman's Journal, Woman's Home Companion, Traveller's Record and Cochituate Enterprise.

SARAH E. HEARD,  
*Librarian.*

Feb. 27, 1900.

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- 9921 Adventures of Francois. S. W. Mitchell.  
 9876 American Revolution. Sir. Geo. D. Trevelyan.  
 9986 Anglo Saxon Superiority. E. Demolius.  
 9954 Associate Hermits, The. F. R. Stockton.  
 9964 Aunt Billy and Other Stories. A. J. Keith.  
 856 Autumn. H. D. Thoreau.  
 9880-81 Ave Roma. F. M. Crawford.  
 9984 Awakening of a Nation. C. F. Lummis.  
 9931 Awkward Age, The. Henry James.  
 9933 Aylwin. T. W. Dunton.  
 9873 Barrack Room Ballads. R. Kipling.  
 9929 Battle of the Strong. Gilbert Parker.  
 9996 Bird Neighbors. N. Blanchan.  
 9970 Bird World. J. H. Stickney and R. Hofman.  
 9884-5 Bismark's Autobiography. A. J. Butler.  
 9727 Bob Son of Battle. A. Olivant.  
 9976 Book of Folk Stories, The. H. Scudder.  
 9958 Boy I Knew and Four Dogs. L. Hutton.  
 9967 Boys of Fairport, The. N. Brooks.  
 9989 Boys of 98, The. J. Otis.  
 9973 Brave Little Holland and What She Taught Us. W. E. Griffins.

- 9878 Brunetiere's Essays in French.  
 9926 Caleb West Master Diver. F. H. Smith.  
 860 Cape Cod. H. D. Thoreau.  
 9412 Castle Inn, The. S. J. Weyman.  
 9955 Child Culture in the Home. M. B. Mashee.  
 9935 Children of the Ghetto. I. Zangwill.  
 9969 Child's World, A. J. W. Riley.  
 9898 Collection of Historical and Other Papers of Grindall  
 Reynolds. A. R. Keyes.  
 9729 Concerning Isabel Carnaby. E. T. Fowler.  
 9966 Cruise of the Cachalot. F. T. Bullen.  
 9889 Cuban and Porto Rican Campaign. R. H. Davis.  
 9951 Cyrano De Bergerac. E. Rostand.  
 9942 David Harum. E. N. Wescott.  
 9870 Day's Work. R. Kipling.  
 9875 Departmental Ditties. R. Kipling.  
 9946 Dross. H. S. Merriman.  
 9982 Electricity for Everybody. P. Atkinson.  
 993 Evolution of Religion. M. J. Savage.  
 858 Excursions. H. D. Thoreau.  
 9977 Fables. H. Scudder.  
 864 Free to Serve. E. Rayner.  
 9932 Gadfly, The. E. L. Voynich.  
 9974 German Household Tales. Grimm.  
 9924 Gloria Mundi. H. Frederic.  
 9950 Great Love, A. C. L. Burnham.  
 9918 Heart of Denise. S. L. Yeats.  
 9705 Her Memory. M. Martens.  
 9988 Hero Tales from American History.  
 9919 Home Economics. M. Parloa.  
 9788 Home Life in Colonial Days. A. M. Earle.  
 9998 How to Enjoy Pictures. M. S. Emery.  
 9999 How to Know the Ferns.  
 9991 Interest of America in Sea Power. A. J. Mahan.  
 9972 Japanese Interior, A. A. M. Bacon.  
 9985 John Hancock, His Book. A. E. Brown.  
 9941 John Splendid. Neil Munro.  
 9882-3 Letters of Robert and Elizabeth Barrett Browning.

- 9877 Letters of Thomas Carlyle.  
 9906-7 Letters of Victor Hugo. Paul Meurice.  
 9908 Life of Wm. Shakespeare. Sidney Lee.  
 861 Maine Woods, The. H. D. Thoreau.  
 9879 Manual of the History of French Literature, translated.  
 9872 Many Inventions. R. Kipling.  
 9934 Master, The. I. Zangwill  
 9990 Master of the Strong Hearts E. L. Brooks.  
 9909 Mastery of Books, The. H. L. Koopman.  
 859 Miscellanies H. D. Thoreau.  
 9949 Mrs. Archer Archer. C. L. Burnham.  
 9886 Music and Musicians. A. Lavingnac.  
 9912 My Sister Henrietta. E. Renan.  
 9914 Myths and Legends Beyond Our Borders. C. M. Skinner.  
 9874 Naulahka. R. Kipling.  
 9938 No. 5 John Street. R. Whiteing.  
 9961 On Many Seas. H. E. Hamblin.  
 9940 Open Question, The. E. Robbins.  
 992 Our Unitarian Gospel. M. J. Savage.  
 9992 Outlines of the Earth's History. N. S. Shaler.  
 9699 Patrius L. I. Guiney.  
 9956 Penelope's Progress. K. D. Wiggin.  
 9890 Phillipine Islands, The. Dean Worcester.  
 9927 Pride of Jennico, The. A. and E. Castle.  
 9716 Principles of Agriculture. L. H. Bailey.  
 9922 Prisoners of Hope. M. Johnson.  
 9979 Ragged Lady. W. D. Howells.  
 9920 Red Rock. T. N. Page.  
 863 Richard Carvel. Winston Churchill.  
 9944 Roden's Corner. H. S. Merriman.  
 9994-5 Romance of the House of Savoy. A. Weil  
 9923 Rupert of Hentzau A. Hope.  
 862 Santa Claus' Partner. T. N. Page.  
 9930 Scapegoat, The. Hall Caine.  
 9952 Second Thoughts of an Idle Fellow. J. Jerome.  
 9869 Shakespeare, The Boy. W. J. Rolfe.  
 9737 Sherburn Girls. A. M. Douglas.  
 9913 Siegfried and Beomelf. Z. A. Ragozin.

- 9953 Silence and Other Stories. M. E. Wilkins.  
 9888 Sketch of Life and Public Services of M. A. Richardson.  
     F. W. Haskett.  
 9928 Soldier of Manhattan. J. A. Altsheier.  
 9871 Soldiers, Three. R. Kipling.  
 9987 Southern Soldier Stories. G. C. Eggleston.  
 9981 Span of Life, The. W. McLennan.  
     854 Spring. H. D. Thoreau.  
 9971 Starland. Sir R. S. Ball.  
 9948 Stories in Light and Shadow. B. Harte.  
 9960 Story of Marco Polo. N. Brooks.  
 9975 Story Mother Nature Told Her Children. J. Andrews.  
 9947 Strong Hearts. G. W. Cable.  
 9993 Student's History of the United States. E. Channing.  
     855 Summer. H. D. Thoreau.  
 9959 Tales of the Enchanted Islands of the Atlantic. T. W.  
     Higginson.  
 9963 Tales of the Maylayan Coast. K. Wildman.  
 9915 Through Nature to God. J. Fiske.  
 9824 Liverton Tales. A. Brown.  
 9997 Trees of North Eastern America. C. S. Newhall.  
 9937 Trooper Galahad. Chas. King.  
 9965 Walter Sherwood's Probation. H. Alger, Jr.  
 9936 Warrior Gap. Capt. King.  
 9957 What Shall Our Boys Do for a Living. C. F. Wingate.  
 9962 Wild Animals I Have Known. E. S. Thompson.  
 9939 Wild Eelin. Wm Black.  
     857 Winter. H. D. Thoreau.  
 9916-17 Worker, The. Wyckoff.  
 9980 World's Rough Hand, The. H. P. Whitmarsh.  
 9887 Year Book of the Society of Colonial Wars.  
 9978 Young Folks History of Russia. N. H. Dole.  
 9943 Young Mistley. H. S. Merriman.  
 9968 Young Puritans of Old. Hadley M. P. Welles.  
 9945 Zeeoaster. F. M. Crawford.

## Water Commissioners' Report.

WAYLAND WATER COMMISSIONERS,

In account with HENRY F. LEE, *Town Treasurer.*

Feb. 28, 1899.	Balance not drawn from town treasurer	\$1,227 97
Feb. 28, 1900.	Transfer for hydrants . . . . .	384 00
	By water rates, town treasurer . . . . .	1,886 22
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		\$3,498 22
	Transfer interest on bonds . . . . .	\$640 00
Mar. 27, 1899.	Order No. 1 For sinking fund . . . . .	305 97
Feb. 28, 1900.	“ “ 2 H. G. Dudley, supt. . . . .	150 00
	“ “ 3 H. G. Dudley, com. . . . .	20 00
	“ “ 4 C. H. Boody, com. . . . .	20 00
	“ “ 5 W. M. Fullick, com. . . . .	20 00
	“ “ 6 W. M. Fullick, clerk . . . . .	32 50
	“ “ 7 Sinking fund . . . . .	405 16
	“ “ 8 Maintenance . . . . .	1,238 59
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		\$2,832 22
	Balance not drawn . . . . .	666 00
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		\$3,498 22

C. H. BOODEY,  
H. G. DUDLEY,  
W. M. FULLICK,

*Commissioners of Wayland Water Works.*



## Report of Commissioners of Wayland Water Works Sinking Fund.

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Amount in Framingham Savings Bank, Feb.

28, 1899 . . . . . \$734 58

Amount drawn from above, Jan. 19, 1900 . 293 83

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Amount in Framingham Savings Bank. Feb. 28, 1900 . \$440 75

Amount deposited in Natick Savings Bank, Natick,

Mass, Mar. 2, 1899 . . . . . \$734 58

Interest on above to Nov. 1, 1899 . . . . . 14 68

Deposited, Jan. 19, 1900 . . . . . 293 83

Deposited, Mar. 7, 1900 . . . . . 405 16

Amount deposited in Watertown Savings Bank, Water-

town, Mass. . . . . \$1,000 00

Interest on above deposit, Oct. 3 . . . . . 20 00

Amount deposited in the Home Savings Bank, Boston,

Mass. . . . . \$760 45

Interest on above deposit . . . . . 19 50

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\$3,688 95

C. H. BOODEY,  
H. G. DUDLEY,  
W. M. FULLICK,

*Commissioners of Wayland Water Works Sinking Fund.*



## Report of the Superintendent of the Wayland Water Works.

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GENTLEMEN : —

We have this year taken up and replaced with larger pipe two thousand (2,000) feet, eleven hundred (1,100) feet of four (4) inch and nine hundred (900) feet of two (2) inch. We have also laid nine hundred (900) feet of new service pipe, so we have laid twenty-nine hundred (2,900) feet of pipe this year. We have also had a large amount of service pipe to clean out.

We believe the time has come to increase the supply of water by enlarging the basin, as we believe we are too near the limit of supply of the present basin for safety.

The maintenance account is :

1899.

April	1.	To Labor for March	.	.	.	.	\$9 00
	3.	R. W. Porter	.	.	.	.	5 00
	7.	John Hurley	.	.	.	.	1 50
	15.	W. C. Neal	.	.	.	.	2 50
	28.	J. B. McIroy.	.	.	.	.	10 00
		J. F. Jones	.	.	.	.	2 25
May	1.	Labor for April	.	.	.	.	32 50
	6.	J. N. Cunningham	.	.	.	.	26 65
	22.	Frank Brummett	.	.	.	.	12 00
	25.	James Morrisey	.	.	.	.	16 00
	26	R. W. Porter	.	.	.	.	13 50

May	29.	T. B Haws . . . . .	\$12 00
		J. N. Cunningham . . . . .	99 28
		Howe & Co. . . . .	2 15
		B. & A. R. R. . . . .	3 85
June	1.	Labor for May . . . . .	42 00
	6.	J. B. McIroy . . . . .	14 00
	30.	T. B. Haws . . . . .	7 00
July	1.	Labor for June . . . . .	26 00
	18.	Boston & Maine R. R. . . . .	41 18
Aug.	1.	Labor for July . . . . .	16 50
	3.	James Devine . . . . .	12 95
	7.	Walworth Mfg. Co. . . . .	107 61
	9.	B. & A. R. R. . . . .	51
	29.	R. O. Wood & Co. . . . .	266 29
	30.	Hinds & Comer . . . . .	1 00
Sept.	1.	Labor for August . . . . .	46 50
	4.	Ralph Neal . . . . .	30 75
	5.	L. A. Loker . . . . .	21 00
		Frank Brummett . . . . .	36 65
		James Morrisey . . . . .	36 65
		J. B. McIroy . . . . .	17 00
		Conrad Homer . . . . .	32 65
	16.	T. B. Haws . . . . .	41 76
	19.	R. W. Porter . . . . .	17 50
		Samuel Hobbs & Co. . . . .	4 37
	27.	Boston Lead Co. . . . .	50 25
Oct.	1.	Labor for Sept. . . . .	27 50
		Fiske & Co. . . . .	1 05
	10.	Walworth Manufacturing Co. . . . .	31 00
	19.	Robinson & Jones . . . . .	2 00
Nov.	1.	Labor for Oct. . . . .	9 50
Dec.	1.	Labor for Nov. . . . .	8 50
1900.			
Jan.	1.	James Devine . . . . .	4 70
		Labor for Dec. . . . .	10 50
Feb.	1.	Labor for Jan. . . . .	6 50
	19.	E. P. Butler . . . . .	10 79

Feb. 27.	W. F. Garfield	.	.	.	.	.	\$7 00
	Postage	.	.	.	.	.	1 25
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							\$1,238 59

The water at present is in use by the following :

Families	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	291
Manufactories	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	7
Public buildings	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
Miscellaneous	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	12
Horses	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	84
Cows	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	47

Respectfully submitted,

H. G. DUDLEY,  
*Superintendent.*

WAYLAND, Feb. 28, 1900.

## Report of Superintendent of Streets.

### HIGHWAY PAY ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH.

#### SNOW BILLS.

	Days.	Hours.		Days.	Hours.	
C. H. May . . .	1	5	horse	4		\$3 96
H. F. Brummett . . .		3				67
Joseph Tyrrell . . .		3				67
John Hurley . . .		6				1 33
D. C. Smith . . .	1					2 00
W. F. Smith . . .	1	7				3 55
E. G. Stone . . .	1					2 00
C. A. Rock . . .		3				67
C. A. Phillips . . .	1	$\frac{3}{4}$				2 16
W. C. Neal . . .						1 50
						<hr/> \$18 51

### HIGHWAY PAY ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL.

	Days.	Hours.		Days.	Hours.	
Wilson Porter . . .	7		horse	14		\$38 50
H. F. Brummett . . .	13					26 00
James Morrisey . . .	14	1				28 22
C. W. Fairbanks . . .	10	8	horse	21	7	59 86
C. C. Ward . . .	4	$8\frac{1}{2}$				9 88
Joseph Corimer . . .	6	$8\frac{1}{2}$				13 89
Arthur T. Felch . . .	5					10 00

	Days.	Hours.		Days.	Hours.	
Chas Newton .	12	5		.	.	\$25 10
Wm G. Webster .	10	4½		.	.	15 75
C. H. May .	27	4½	horse	55	.	151 25
G. W. Whitney .	4			.	.	6 00
Michael G. Hurley .	10	3½		.	.	25 98
John Hurley .	10	3½		.	.	31 17
Mrs. Thompson, 49 loads stone			.	.	.	12 25
E. A. Atwood, lanterns and oil .			.	.	.	2 00
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						\$455 85
						154 00
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						\$609 85

#### HIGHWAY PAY ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL.

J. F. Malloy .	4	7	horse	9	5	\$26 28
J. W. Coakley .	4			.	.	8 00
A. W. Lombard .	5			.	.	10 00
James Linnehan .	6			.	.	12 00
T. L. Hynes .	6		horse	9	1	27 94
P. J. McLaughlin .	6			.	.	12 00
M. W. Hynes .	7	5½	horse	13	5½	39 03
Geo. E. Sherman .	6	4½		.	.	13 00
N. P. Rutter, 62 spikes .	.	.	.	.	.	1 86
Butrick Lumber Co. .	.	.	.	.	.	50 77
Geo. Tyler & Co., sections for road, March	.	.	.	.	.	8 75
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						\$209 63

#### HIGHWAY PAY ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF MAY.

C. C. Ward .	4			.	.	\$8 00
Chas. Newton .	1			.	.	2 00
John Hurley .	2	4½		.	.	6 25
John Kelley .	4			.	.	8 00
Wilson Porter .	3		horse	6		16 50
W. C. Neal .	4		horse	6		18 50
A. Felch .	3		horse	6		16 50
C. W. Fairbanks .	3		horse	6		16 50

	Days.	Hours.		Days.	Hours.	
C. H. May . . .	9	2	horse	12	4	\$40 22
H. F. Brummett . .	3			.	.	6 00
James Morrisey . .	3			.	.	6 00
E. W. Jennison . .	3			.	.	6 00
Conrad Homer . .	3			.	.	6 00
Wm. Webster . .	3			.	.	4 50
Road tools . . . . .	.	.	.	.	.	11 45
						<hr/> \$172 42

## HIGHWAY PAY ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF MAY.

Geo. E. Sherman . .	6	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	horse	13		\$35 75
Geo. N. Sherman . .	6	4 $\frac{1}{2}$		.	.	13 00
John Fox . . . .	6	4 $\frac{1}{2}$		.	.	13 00
Leslie Sherman . .	6	4 $\frac{1}{2}$		.	.	13 00
Henry Clark . . .	6			.	.	12 00
Walter Randolph . .	5			.	.	10 00
William Randolph . .	5			.	.	10 00
John F. Malloy . .	5	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	horse	10		28 50
James Linnehan . .	10	5 $\frac{1}{2}$		.	.	21 22
P. J. McLaughlin . .	10	3 $\frac{1}{2}$		.	.	20 78
M. W. Hynes . . .	12	8 $\frac{1}{2}$	horse	22		64 39
T. L. Hynes . . .	9	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	horse	12	6	41 38
Edward Harrington .	3			.	.	6 00
William D. White, 116 loads of gravel . . . . .				.	.	11 60
						<hr/> \$300 62

## HIGHWAY PAY ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE.

J. B. McElroy . . .	3			.	.	\$6 00
H. F. Brummett . .	16			.	.	32 00
J. Morrisey . . .	15			.	.	30 00
C. Haman . . . .	9	5		.	.	19 12
A. T. Felch . . .	15		horse	30		82 50
C. W. Fairbanks . .	14	5	horse	29	1	79 87
Wilson Porter . .	14		horse	28		77 00
W. C. Neal . . .	7	4	horse	12	8	37 56

	Days.	Hours.		Days.	Hours.	
C. H. May . . .	32	3	horse	42	6	\$139 33
Wm. G. Webster . .	10	$\frac{3}{4}$		.	.	16 12
M. Guilfoile . . .	3			.	.	6 00
A. Randolph . . .	2			.	.	4 00
L. A. Loker . . .	10		horse	4		27 00
Chas. Newton . . .	15			.	.	30 00
C. C. Ward . . .	14	2		.	.	28 44
E. P. Butler, paint . . .	.	.	.	.	.	3 50
P. A. Leary, blacksmithing . . .	.	.	.	.	.	39 73
E. W. Jennison . . .	.	.	.	.	.	26 89
G. Nayler, Cr. to 105 loads gravel . . .	.	.	.	.	.	5 25
						<hr/> \$690 31

## HIGHWAY PAY ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE.

J. F. Malloy . . .	12		horse	24		\$66 00
Walter Randolph . .	8			.	.	16 00
William Randolph . .	12			.	.	24 00
M. W. Hynes . . .	13		horse	26		71 50
T. L. Hynes . . .	12	1	horse	24	2	66 60
P. J. McLaughlin . .	11	1		.	.	22 22
James Linnehan . . .	13			.	.	26 00
P. S. Zimmerman . .	6	$4\frac{1}{2}$		.	.	13 00
O. Woods, 2697 feet spruce 17 50-100 . . .	.	.	.	.	.	47 20
						<hr/> \$352 52

## HIGHWAY PAY ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF JULY.

L. A. Loker . . .	16	$1\frac{1}{2}$	horse	16	$1\frac{1}{2}$	\$60 60
Wm. Ragan . . .	15	3		.	.	30 66
C. A. Phillips . . .	14	8		.	.	29 78
John Hurley . . .	6	$4\frac{1}{2}$		.	.	13 00
John E. Kelley . . .	10	1		.	.	20 22
James Morrissey . . .	15	5		.	.	31 11
E. A. Carter . . .	1	2		.	.	2 45
John B. McElroy . .	11	4		.	.	22 87
Chas. Newton . . .	15	$4\frac{1}{2}$		.	.	31 00

	Days.	Hours.		Days.	Hours.	
David Connell .	12	7		.	.	\$25 55
Wm. Randolph .	8	5		.	.	17 10
Thos. Evans .	20	4½	horse	15	4½	68 12
Michael Guilfoil .	12	4½		.	.	31 25
Gilbert Wood .	16	5		.	.	33 11
C. H. May .	16	5	horse	14		59 36
Louis Champney .	1	2		.	.	2 44
P. A. Leary, blacksmithing .	.	.	.	.	.	15 84
Fiske & Co, dynamite and caps .	.	.	.	.	.	25 63
E. P. Butler, lanterns .	.	.	.	.	.	1 00
5 gallons of oil .	.	.	.	.	.	45
L. H. McManus, sharpening drills .	.	.	.	.	.	7 95
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Hynes' bill .	.	.	.	.	.	\$529 49
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Cr. By cash from N. & C. R. R. .	.	.	.	.	.	\$532 07
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						100 00
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						\$432 07

#### HIGHWAY PAY ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF JULY.

M. W. Hynes .	5	horse	5	\$2 08
T. S. Sherman, repairs on bridge .	.	.	.	50
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				\$2 58

#### HIGHWAY PAY ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST.

Henry Smith .	3		.	.	\$6 00
Fred Marshall .	8		.	.	16 00
P. Jennings .	1		.	.	2 00
Geo. E. Sherman .	4	4½	.	.	9 00
T. L. Hynes .	6	horse	8	.	26 00
M. W. Hynes .	11	1 horse	15	1½	49 54
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					\$108 54



## HIGHWAY PAY ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER.

	Days.	Hours.		Days.	Hours.	
John E. Kelley .	7	4½		.	.	\$15 00
Conrad Homer .	4			.	.	8 00
C. C. Ward .	2			.	.	4 00
Wilson Porter .	3		horse	3		11 25
W. C. Neal .	4	½	horse	8		22 10
C. H. May .	7	4½	horse	11	4½	35 13
Frank Haynes, to lumber and labor .	.	.	.	.	.	12 23
50 chestnut posts .	.	.	.	.	.	5 00
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						\$114 46

## HIGHWAY PAY ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER.

M. W. Hynes .	9		horse	7	.	\$30 25
Fred Marshall .	11	1		.	.	22 22
T. L. Hynes .	12	1	horse	5	5½	34 03
J. H. Lee, 76 spikes .	.	.	.	.	.	2 28
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						\$88 78

## HIGHWAY PAY ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER.

M. W. Hynes .	1	6	horse	2		\$6 84
T. L. Hynes .	1	6	horse		6	4 50
Alfred Marshall .	1			.	.	2 00
Buttrick Lumber Co., 1,320 feet spruce plank .	.	.	.	.	.	26 40
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						\$39 74

## HIGHWAY PAY ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER.

M. W. Hynes .	3	2	horse	6	2	\$17 34
Alfred Marshall .	3			.	.	6 00
T. L. Hynes .	3		horse	6		16 50
Patrick Jennings .	3			.	.	6 00
P. S. Zimmerman .	3			.	.	6 00
Thomas Evans .	3			.	.	6 00
Joseph Breck & Sons, tree trimmer .	.	.	.	.	.	1 75
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						\$59 59

## SNOW BILL.

## HIGHWAY PAY ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 1900.

	Days.	Hours.		Days.	Hours.	
C. W. Fairbanks .	1	5	horse	3	1	\$8 53
C. H. May .	1	4	horse	2	8	7 95
Amos Dusseault .		5		.	.	1 11
James Morrisey .		4		.	.	88
W. C. Neal .		2	horse		2	84
A. T. Felch .	1		horse		1	3 75
M. Temple .	1		horse		1	3 75
C. C. Ward .		4½		.	.	1 00
						<hr/> \$27 81

## HIGHWAY PAY ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 1900.

	Days.	Hours.		Days.	Hours.	
M. W. Hynes .	5	2	horse	9	3	\$26 77
Alfred Marshall .	4	1		.	.	8 22
T. L. Hynes .	4	1	horse	5	2	17 35
Alfred Lombard .		4½		.	.	1 00
John E. Dolan .	1			.	.	2 00
Henry Smith .	2	5½		.	.	5 22
Geo. E. Sherman .	4		horse	6	5	19 42
S. S. Davidson .	2	2		.	.	4 44
Geo. E. Sherman, 15 loads gravel .				.	.	1 50
Wm. Stearns, repairs on scraper, 39 bolts .				.	.	7 72
						<hr/> \$93 64

## HIGHWAY PAY ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 1900.

	Days.	Hours.		Days.	Hours.	
Amos Dusseault .	1	2		.	.	\$2 45
James Morrisey .	2	2½		.	.	4 55
John Morrisey .	2	2½		.	.	4 55
John E. Kelley .	2	6		.	.	5 33

	Days.	Hours.		Days.	Hours.	
W. E. Jennison .	4	1½	horse	5	1	\$17 28
C. H. May .	6		horse	12		33 00
E. W. Marston, lumber and labor . . .						18 80
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						\$85 96
Snow . . . . .						27 81
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						\$113 77
						93 64
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						\$207 41
Dis . . . . .						1 75
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						\$205 66

## Report of Supt. of North and Centre Cemeteries.

March 1, 1900.

TOWN OF WAYLAND,

To A. S. MORSE, Supt.

To labor . . . . .	\$91 95
" lock, hasps and bolts . . . . .	1 50
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	\$93 45
Paid treasurer for hat . . . . .	\$1 00

A. S. MORSE,  
*Superintendent.*

## Report of Supt. Lakeview Cemetery.

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Mar.	1.	Unexpended balance	.	.	.	.	\$3 12
	27.	Appropriation	.	.	.	.	50 00
							\$53 12
May	27.	Order on town treasurer	.	.	.	.	\$34 00
June	24.	" " " "	.	.	.	.	9 35
		Unexpended balance	.	.	.	.	9 77
							\$53 12

E. C. DAVIS,  
*Superintendent.*

## Report of Engineers of Fire Department.

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We beg to report the following fires, to which the department responded, for the year ending March 1, 1900 :

March 16. 7.50 A. M. Alarm from box 27, for fire in poultry house of Geo. Richardson, Happy Hollow road, which was extinguished with small loss by our chemical extinguishers, property being situated beyond reach of hose.

April 18. 7.20 P. M. Alarm given from engine house for woods fire, rear of O. Atwell's, Pleasant street.

April 20. 11.30 A. M. Alarm from box 25, for woods fire near the above.

May 12. 1.10 P. M. Alarm given from engine house for woods fire, in Bullard's woods, near Lakeview cemetery.

August 22. 6.30 P. M. Lightning struck barn of Chas. E. Fiske, Wayland road, setting same on fire. The electrical storm at the time having burned out our fire alarm system, no regular alarm could be given. Although this, also, was beyond reach of hose, the department succeeded in saving the house and contents, the barn, only a few feet away, being totally destroyed.

November 10. 9.50 P. M. Alarm given from engine house, also from box 24, for fire in barn of Jos. Mathieu, Willard street, which was partially destroyed. Contents total loss.

The department also responded to a false alarm, rung in, supposedly, by some one maliciously inclined.

In accordance with our recommendation of last year, the selectmen have turned all matters pertaining to the department over to the Engineers, and we appointed W. C. Hunting, superintendent of fire alarm.

The carriages and equipments, and hose and coats, also the fire alarm system, we consider are kept in the best of condition, considering what we have to do with. The two chemical extinguishers purchased last year have proven their value at every fire, more particularly in brush fires, and beyond reach of hose. We are hampered, however, in cold weather by the liability of their freezing in the engine house; and would recommend that some system of heating the house be adopted for the coldest part of the year, at least.

We have received for firemen's pay, \$448.00, and have turned over to the companies, \$424.00, leaving an unexpended balance of \$24.00 in our hands.

We have also received the \$100.00 specially appropriated\* for repairs, etc., last year, to which we have added the \$14.63, unexpended from the \$500.00 appropriation of a year ago, which we have expended as follows:—

E. W. Marston, labor and material on engine house	.	\$29 31
W. D. Parlin	" " "	2 47
James Devine	" " "	2 85
Harry Pratt	" " "	40 00
Wesley Porter	" " "	40 00
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		\$114 63

There never having been a foundation under engine house, we have put in cellar wall and new sills, dug out cellar two feet, and properly drained the same; also, made such other repairs as were absolutely necessary. The house has been blinded and painted two coats.

Respectfully submitted,

E. W. MARSTON, *Chief*,  
A. J. RICKER, *1st Asst.*,  
F. E. YEAGER, *Clerk*.

## Report of the Library Building Committee.

*To the Citizens of the Town of Wayland :*

Your committee respectfully submits the following report :

Your committee, with the assistance of Prof. Chandler, held an architectural competition for plans for the library building, and decided in favor of Cabot, Everett & Mead, whose plans offered the best solution of the problems presented to your committee.

Proposals were submitted by numerous responsible contractors, and your committee awarded the entire contract to the lowest bidder, Fales & Co., of South Framingham, Mass.

The work on the building has proceeded satisfactorily, excepting an unavoidable delay caused by the assignment of Fales & Co., for the benefit of their creditors. However, your committee is assured by the assignee that the contract will be speedily and properly completed.

The town's interests in the building are thoroughly protected. Twenty per cent. of the money due Fales & Company has been withheld, and the Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland is surety on their bond of ten thousand dollars to ensure the performance of their contract.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLARD A. BULLARD,  
E. W. MARSTON,  
C. B. WILLIAMS,  
ALFRED W. CUTTING,  
CHARLES F. RICHARDSON.



## Finance Committee.

The finance committee respectfully submits the following and recommends that the same be appropriated and adopted, viz. : —

For schools, fuel and care of buildings . . . . .	\$7,000 00
School supplies . . . . .	700 00
Transportation of scholars . . . . .	1,500 00
Repair of school buildings . . . . .	100 00
Superintendent of schools . . . . .	750 00
Overdrafts . . . . .	716 25
Incidentals . . . . .	2,000 00
Salaries . . . . .	1,300 00
Electric lights . . . . .	350 00
Interest on town debt . . . . .	3,000 00
Firemen's pay . . . . .	400 00
Hydrants . . . . .	384 00
Highways and bridges . . . . .	2,000 00
Support of poor . . . . .	2,500 00
Collection of taxes . . . . .	350 00
Abatement of taxes . . . . .	200 00
Library . . . . .	500 00
Lakeview cemetery . . . . .	50 00
North and Centre cemeteries . . . . .	50 00
School house loan . . . . .	1,100 00
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	\$24,950 25

We recommend that the sum of six hundred and forty dollars be transferred from water rates to pay interest on water bonds.

That the selectmen be authorized to draw from the contingent fund such sums of money as may be necessary, not exceeding five hundred dollars, for assisting needy soldiers and their families.

That the selectmen be authorized to draw from the contingent fund, not exceeding five hundred dollars, to pay back salaries.

That the overseers of the poor be authorized to build a wagon and tool shed at the poor farm from money appropriated for support of poor, if in their judgment there is sufficient money for that purpose.

That the sum of three thousand dollars be appropriated for interest on town debt to be taken from the contingent fund.

That the money for removing snow be drawn from the contingent fund.

We have carefully considered the needs of the various departments and find that the sums recommended, if adopted, will meet the needs of the departments and are as low as can be safely recommended.

ALBION F. PARMENTER, *Chairman*.  
D. W. MITCHELL,  
DAVID P. W. LOKER,  
H. G. DUDLEY,  
C. B. WILLIAMS,  
HENRY F. LEE,  
RICHARD T. LOMBARD,  
CHARLES H. MAY,  
JOHN CONNELLY, *Clerk*.

March 3, 1900.

## Treasurer's Report.

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### SCHOOLS.

1899.

Mar.	1.	Unexpended balance . . . . .	\$278 74
	27.	Appropriation . . . . .	7,600 00
Sept.	1.	School Board, for superintendent . . . . .	625 00

1900.

Jan.	1.	Donation fund . . . . .	12 00
	24.	State treasurer . . . . .	294 38
Feb.	24.	One-half dog license . . . . .	110 29

Total expenditures . . . . . \$8,015 88

Balance unexpended . . . . . 903 53

\$8,920 41	\$8,920 41
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### SCHOOL SUPPLIES.

Mar.	27.	Appropriation . . . . .	\$700 00
		“ for overdraft . . . . .	26 55

Overdraft . . . . . \$26 55

Expended . . . . . 707 50

Overdrawn . . . . . 7 50

\$734 05	\$734 05
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## TRANSPORTATION OF SCHOLARS.

Mar.	1.	Unexpended balance . . . . .	\$94 98	
	27.	Appropriation . . . . .	2,000 00	
		Expenditures . . . . .	\$1,693 00	
		Balance unexpended . . . . .	401 98	
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			\$2,094 98	\$2,094 98

## SCHOOL REPAIRS.

Mar.	1.	Unexpended balance . . . . .	\$14 09	
	27.	Appropriation . . . . .	100 00	
		Expenditures . . . . .	\$75 92	
		Balance unexpended . . . . .	38 17	
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			\$114 09	\$114 09

## SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

Mar.	27.	Appropriation . . . . .	\$750 00	
		“ for overdraft . . . . .	53 00	
	1.	Overdrawn . . . . .	\$53 00	
		Expenditures . . . . .	750 00	
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			\$803 00	\$803 00

## FITTING UP HIGH SCHOOL.

Mar.	1.	Unexpended balance . . . . .	\$49 72	
	27.	Appropriation . . . . .	200 00	
		Balance unexpended . . . . .	\$249 72	
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			\$249 72	\$249 72

## OVERDRAFTS.

Mar. 1.	Unexpended balance . . . . .	\$68 07	
27.	Appropriation . . . . .	3,930 22	
1.	School supplies . . . . .	\$26 55	
	Superintendent, supplies . . . . .	53 00	
	Highways and bridges . . . . .	93 46	
	Salaries . . . . .	209 25	
	Interest account . . . . .	1,175 93	
	Abatements . . . . .	431 94	
	Incidentals . . . . .	1,535 00	
	Contingent account . . . . .	304 29	
	Balance . . . . .	168 87	
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		\$3,998 29	\$3,998 29

## HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Mar. 27.	Appropriation . . . . .	\$3,000 00	
	“ for overdraft . . . . .	93 46	
Apr. 18.	Transportation from contingent account . . . . .	198 41	
Dec. 9.	Natick & Cochituate street railway . . . . .	174 60	
	State treasurer . . . . .	209 53	
Mar. 1.	Overdrawn . . . . .	\$93 46	
Apr. 29.	C. H. May . . . . .	609 85	
	“ “ . . . . .	65 63	
May 27.	“ “ . . . . .	463 04	
June 24.	“ “ . . . . .	690 31	
	“ “ . . . . .	352 52	
July 29.	“ “ . . . . .	432 07	
Aug. 26.	“ “ . . . . .	108 54	
Sept. 30.	“ “ . . . . .	203 24	
Oct. 28.	“ “ . . . . .	50 00	
	“ “ . . . . .	4 12	
Nov. 25.	“ “ . . . . .	59 59	
Dec. 30.	“ “ . . . . .	9 50	
1900.			
Feb'y 24.	“ “ . . . . .	205 66	
	Balance unexpended . . . . .	328 47	
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		\$3,676 00	\$3,676 00

## INCIDENTALS.

Mar.	27.	Appropriation . . . . .	\$1,500 00	
		“ for overdraft . . . . .	1,535 00	
		Overdrawn . . . . .	563 82	
Mar.	1.	Overdrawn . . . . .	\$1,535 00	
	25.	R. T. Lombard . . . . .	50 26	
April	1.	R. T. Lombard . . . . .	22 55	
		J. J. Jennison . . . . .	9 00	
		Thos. Bryant . . . . .	5 00	
		American Express Co. . . . .	3 15	
		H. F. Lee . . . . .	12 00	
		Lakeview Press . . . . .	139 88	
		Robinson & Jones . . . . .	11 63	
		T. S. Sherman . . . . .	4 75	
		W. L. Doane . . . . .	5 00	
		W. F. Garfield . . . . .	7 00	
		C. H. Thing . . . . .	3 00	
		A. S. Morse . . . . .	12 25	
		A. F. Parmenter . . . . .	4 00	
	29.	“ “ sundry bills . . . . .	219 36	
May	27.	“ “ “ “ . . . . .	417 48	
June	24.	“ “ “ “ . . . . .	121 35	
July	29.	E. H. Atwood “ “ . . . . .	102 50	
Aug.	26.	A. F. Parmenter “ “ . . . . .	80 76	
Sept.	30.	E. H. Atwood “ “ . . . . .	92 92	
Oct.	28.	“ “ “ “ . . . . .	198 95	
Nov.	25.	E. A. Carter “ “ . . . . .	96 45	
Dec.	30.	E. H. Atwood “ “ . . . . .	139 66	
1900.				
Jan'y	27.	E. H. Atwood “ “ . . . . .	116 44	
Feb'y	24.	“ “ “ “ . . . . .	198 48	
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			\$3,598 82	\$3,598 82

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Mar.	1.	Unexpended balance . . . . .	\$448 00	
	27.	Appropriation . . . . .	448 00	
April	29.	E. W. Marston, chief . . . . .	\$448 00	
		Unexpended balance . . . . .	448 00	
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			\$896 00	\$896 00

## COLLECTION OF TAXES.

Mar.	27.	Appropriation . . . . .	\$350 00	
1900.				
Jan'y	27.	C. F. Richardson . . . . .	\$75 00	

## HYDRANTS.

Mar.	27.	Appropriation . . . . .	\$384 00	
		Transferred to water com. acct. . . . .	\$384 00	

## LAKEVIEW CEMETERY.

Mar.	1.	Unexpended balance . . . . .	\$3 12	
	27.	Appropriation . . . . .	50 00	
May	27.	E. C. Davis . . . . .	\$34 00	
June	24.	" " . . . . .	9 35	
		Unexpended . . . . .	9 77	
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			\$53 12	\$53 12

## NORTH AND CENTRE CEMETERIES.

Mar.	1.	Unexpended balance . . . . .	\$ 41	
	27.	Appropriation . . . . .	50 00	
April	29.	A. S. Morse . . . . .	\$13 90	
May	27.	" " . . . . .	36 51	
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			\$50 41	\$50 41

## LIBRARY ACCOUNT.

Mar. 27.	Appropriation . . . . .	\$500 00	
	One-half dog license . . . . .	110 29	
April 29.	H. D. Parmenter . . . . .	\$500 00	
	One-half dog license . . . . .	110 29	
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		\$610 29	\$610 29

## CEMETERY ACCOUNT.

Mar. 1.	Unexpended balance . . . . .	\$205 57	
Dec. 30.	A. S. Morse . . . . .	1 00	
1900.			
Feb'y 24	E. C. Davis . . . . .	15 00	
May 27.	A. S. Morse . . . . .	\$9 79	
July 29.	" " . . . . .	27 75	
Aug. 26.	B. F. Adams . . . . .	10 77	
Oct. 28.	E. C. Davis . . . . .	3 25	
Nov. 25.	E. H. Atwood . . . . .	17 00	
Dec. 30.	A. S. Morse . . . . .	5 50	
	Balance unexpended . . . . .	147 51	
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		\$221 57	\$221 57

## SUPPORT OF POOR.

Mar. 1.	Unexpended balance . . . . .	\$420 22	
27.	Appropriation . . . . .	2,500 00	
	Total receipts. See O. of P. report . . . . .	1,393 53	
	Total expenditures . . . . .	\$4,061 68	
	Balance unexpended . . . . .	252 07	
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		\$4,313 75	\$4,313 75

## DECORATION DAY.

Mar. 27.	Appropriation . . . . .	\$50 00	
April 22.	" . . . . .	100 00	



Feb'y	24.	E. C. Davis	.	.	.	.	.	.	\$7 62
May	27.	" "	.	.	.	.	.	\$100 00	
June	24.	" "	.	.	.	.	.	43 82	
		Unexpended balance	.	.	.	.	.	13 80	
								\$157 62	\$157 62

## ABATEMENT OF TAXES.

Mar. 27.	Appropriation . . . . .	\$300 00
	"          for overdraft . . . . .	431 94
Mar. 1.	Overdrawn . . . . .	\$431 94
Oct. 2	Taxes of 1899 . . . . .	4 00
Dec. 30.	N. R. Gerald . . . . .	12 32
Feb'y 28.	Abatement taxes, 1899 . . . . .	106 00
	"          "      1898 . . . . .	49 28
	"          "      1897 . . . . .	44 80
	Balance unexpended . . . . .	83 60
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		\$731 94
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		\$731 94

ELECTRIC LIGHTS.

Mar. 27.	Unexpended balance	.	.	.	.	\$19 94
	Appropriation	.	.	.	.	357 00
Mar. 25.	Natick Gas & Electric Co.	.	.	.	.	\$33 70
April 1.	" "	"	"	.	.	32 09
June 24.	" "	"	"	.	.	61 26
July 29.	" "	"	"	.	.	30 63
Aug. 26.	" "	"	"	.	.	30 63
Sept. 30.	" "	"	"	.	.	30 63
Oct. 28.	" "	"	"	.	.	30 63
Nov. 25.	" "	"	"	.	.	30 63
	Balance unexpended	.	.	.	.	96 74
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						\$376 94
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						\$376 94

## INTEREST ON TOWN DEBT.

Mar.	27.	Appropriation from contingent . . . .	\$3,000 00	
		“ for overdraft . . . .	1,175 93	
		Transferred from water com. acct. . . .	640 00	
		Overdrawn . . . . .	162 31	
Mar.	1.	Overdrawn . . . . .	\$1,175 93	
	25.	Natick National Bank . . . .	25 94	
		“ “ “ . . . .	494 97	
		Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Co. . . .	220 00	
		D. B. Heard . . . . .	20 00	
	27.	Estabrook & Co. . . . .	34 61	
April	27.	Puritan Trust Co . . . . .	154 00	
June	1.	City Bank . . . . .	280 00	
	24.	Natick National Bank . . . .	66 67	
July	21.	Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Co. . . .	220 00	
Aug.	26.	D. B. Heard . . . . .	20 00	
Sept.	1.	Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Co. . . .	840 00	
	9.	“ “ “ “ “ . . . .	80 00	
	30.	Natick Bank . . . . .	420 00	
Oct.	28.	Puritan Trust Co. . . . .	154 00	
Dec.	9.	Natick Bank . . . . .	7 50	
		“ “ . . . . .	240 62	
1900.				
Jan'y	1.	Trustees Loker Fund . . . .	100 00	
		“ Allen “ . . . . .	60 00	
		“ Donation Fund . . . . .	78 00	
		“ J. S. Draper Fund . . . .	60 00	
		“ Childs Fund . . . . .	6 00	
	24.	Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Co. . . .	220 00	
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			\$4,978 24	\$4,978 24

## SCHOOL HOUSE LOAN.

Mar.	27.	Appropriation . . . . .	\$1,100 00
Oct.	28.	Puritan Trust Co. . . . .	\$1,100 00

## SALARIES.

Mar.	27.	Appropriation . . . . .	\$1,300 00
		“ for overdraft . . . . .	209 25
		Overdrawn . . . . .	151 39
Mar.	1.	Overdrawn . . . . .	\$209 25
	8.	P. A. Leary . . . . .	75 00
		A. F. Parmenter . . . . .	50 00
		E. H. Atwood . . . . .	50 00
		D. P. W. Loker . . . . .	40 00
		T. L. Sawin . . . . .	20 00
		W. B. Ward . . . . .	40 00
		J. H. Carroll . . . . .	20 00
		C. F. Whittier . . . . .	20 00
		R. T. Lombard . . . . .	70 00
		Geo. B. Howe . . . . .	50 00
		C. H. Boodey . . . . .	14 75
		E. W. Marston . . . . .	61 14
		R. T. Lombard . . . . .	17 50
		H. F. Lee . . . . .	200 00
		Edward Carter . . . . .	12 25
		C. H. May . . . . .	10 50
April	1.	A. H. Bryant . . . . .	50 00
		A. W. Lombard . . . . .	5 00
		D. W. Mitchell . . . . .	47 00
		E. E. Butler . . . . .	30 00
		J. J. Roan . . . . .	5 00
	29.	A. F. Parmenter . . . . .	70 00
		L. Anna Dudley . . . . .	50 00
July	29.	Board of assessors . . . . .	199 50
Sept.	30.	E. H. Atwood . . . . .	45 00
Oct.	28.	E. A. Carter . . . . .	25 00
Nov.	25.	A. Parmenter . . . . .	35 00
Dec.	30.	E. A. Carter, sundry salaries . . . . .	133 75
1900			
Jan'y	27.	C. S. Williams . . . . .	5 00
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			\$1,660 64 \$1,660 64

## ILLEGAL SALE OF INTOXICATING LIQUORS.

Mar.	1.	Unexpended balance . . . . .	\$30 34	
Apr.	1.	L. H. Wakefield . . . . .	\$15 00	
June	24.	J. W. Jennison . . . . .	2 00	
		Transferred to contingent account	13 34	
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			\$30 34	\$30 34

## STATE TAX.

July	29.	State tax . . . . .	\$900 00	
		“ “ special . . . . .	330 52	
Dec.	9.	State treasurer . . . . .	\$900 00	
		“ “ . . . . .	330 52	
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			\$1,230 52	\$1,230 52

## COUNTY TAX.

July	29.	County tax . . . . .	\$1,626 24	
		J. O. Hayden, treasurer . . .	\$1,626 24	

## TEMPORARY LOAN.

Mar.	1.	Notes unpaid . . . . .	\$27,000 00	
May	7.	Natick National bank . . . . .	4,000 00	
	27.	City bank . . . . .	4,000 00	
	28.	“ “ . . . . .	6,000 00	
July	31.	Natick National bank . . . . .	3,000 00	
May		“ “ “ . . . . .	\$10,000 00	
Oct.	28.	“ “ “ . . . . .	3,000 00	
Nov.	25.	Shawmut “ “ . . . . .	6,000 00	
Dec.	9.	Natick “ “ . . . . .	3,000 00	
		“ “ “ . . . . .	2,000 00	
Feb.	28.	Notes unpaid . . . . .	20,000 00	
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			\$44,000 00	\$44,000 00

## WATER COMMISSIONERS' ACCOUNT.

Mar. 27.	Due Water commissioners . . . . .	\$305 97	
	Transferred from hydrants . . . . .	384 00	
Feb. 28.	W. M. Fullick . . . . .	1,886 25	
	Overdrawn . . . . .	640 00	
	Transferred to interest account . . . . .	\$640 00	
Mar. 27.	W. M. Fullick . . . . .	305 97	
	1900.		
Feb. 28.	W. M. Fullick . . . . .	2,270 25	
		<u>\$3,216 22</u>	<u>\$3,216 22</u>

## CONTINGENT ACCOUNT.

Mar. 27.	Appropriation for overdraft . . . . .	\$304 29	
	Estabrook & Co. . . . .	121 33	
April 11.	E. W. Lamoine . . . . .	2 00	
18.	State treasurer . . . . .	198 41	
	J. E. Linnehan . . . . .	16 50	
May 24.	John F. Foley . . . . .	1,300 00	
	W. B Ward . . . . .	164 59	
June 26.	Court fines . . . . .	4 50	
July 21.	State treasurer . . . . .	25 00	
29.	Geo. F. Keep . . . . .	5 00	
31.	Sam'l Russell . . . . .	1 00	
Sept. 30.	J. E. Linnehan . . . . .	10 00	
Oct. 2.	Court fines . . . . .	23 21	
7.	Pool license . . . . .	2 00	
	Metropolitan water tax . . . . .	30 00	
28.	J. E. Linnehan . . . . .	8 00	
Dec. 9.	State treasurer . . . . .	2,121 97	
	" " . . . . .	704 06	
	" " . . . . .	72 00	
	" " . . . . .	1,116 00	
	" " . . . . .	20 00	
	1900.		
Jan'y 2.	Court fines . . . . .	28 73	
	J. E. Linnehan . . . . .	7 50	

Feb'y 13.	L. K. Lovell . . . . .	\$16 25
	Overlayings . . . . .	560 52
	Additional assessments . . . . .	23 40
	“ “ . . . . .	197 00
	“ “ . . . . .	7 20
	Transferred from illegal sale of liquor . . . . .	13 34
	C. E. Richardson, interest on taxes . . . . .	501 22
	G. B. Howe . . . . .	19 11
Mar. 27.	Overdrawn . . . . .	\$304 29
	Transferred to interest account . . . . .	3,000 00
April 1.	Mrs. Coakley . . . . .	4 00-
	Dennis Mullen . . . . .	12 50
	J. B. Brigham . . . . .	6 00
	C. H. May . . . . .	18 51
	State aid . . . . .	1,112 00
	Military aid . . . . .	298 00
	W. G. Webster . . . . .	20 00
29.	C. H. May . . . . .	33 22
	“ “ . . . . .	21 98
	Needy soldiers . . . . .	20 00
May 27.	“ “ . . . . .	10 00
	“ “ . . . . .	4 00
	“ “ . . . . .	10 00
	“ “ . . . . .	6 00
June 24.	M. C. Baldwin . . . . .	243 40
	A. F. Parmenter . . . . .	13 50
	State treasurer . . . . .	325 00
July 29.	M. C. Baldwin . . . . .	141 75
	W. G. Webster . . . . .	20 00
	A. F. Parmenter . . . . .	14 00
	Spanish war aid . . . . .	10 00
Aug 26.	E. H. Atwood . . . . .	16 50
	Transferred to highways . . . . .	198 41
Sept 30.	Needy soldiers . . . . .	93 85
Oct. 28.	“ “ . . . . .	22 00
Nov. 25.	“ “ . . . . .	46 00

Dec. 30.	M. C. Baldwin . . . . .	\$26 00	
	A. F. Parmenter, needy soldiers	26 31	
1900.			
Jan'y 27.	" " " "	54 55	
Feb'y 24.	E. H. Atwood, " "	74 50	
	Balance unexpended . . . .	1,427 86	
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		\$7,624 13	\$7,624 13

## LIBRARY FUND.

Mar. 1.	Deposited N. E. Trust Co. . . . .	\$28,000 00	
Feb. 28.	Interest . . . . .	630 25	
June 24.	F. W. Chandler . . . . .	\$150 00	
July 13.	Cabot, Everett & Meade . . . .	600 00	
Sept. 30.	Fales & Co. . . . .	1,000 00	
Oct. 21.	" " . . . . .	700 00	
Nov. 10.	" " . . . . .	1,955 00	
Dec. 12.	" " . . . . .	4,728 00	
1900.			
Jan. 9.	Fales & Co. . . . .	2,377 00	
24.	" " . . . . .	1,000 00	
Feb. 9.	Cabot, Everett & Meade . . . .	250 00	
	Balance unexpended . . . .	15,870 00	
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		\$28,630 25	\$28,630 25

## REPAIRS ON ENGINE HOUSE.

Mar. 27.	Appropriation . . . . .	\$100 00	
	E. W. Marston . . . . .	\$100 00	

## NEW SCHOOL HOUSE, COCHITUATE.

Mar. 27.	Appropriation . . . . .	\$1,000 00	
	Unexpended balance . . . . .	\$1,000 00	

## FINISHING ROOM IN HIGH SCHOOL HOUSE.

Mar. 27.	Appropriation . . . . .	\$1,150 00	
Oct. 28.	J. E. Warren . . . . .	\$300 00	
Nov. 1.	“ “ . . . . .	69 76	
	7. Wm. Lamb & Co. . . . .	485 00	
	Paine Furniture Co. . . . .	21 00	
	S. Homer Woodbridge . . . . .	20 90	
Feb. 28.	Francis Shaw . . . . .	253 34	
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		\$1,150 00	\$1,150 00

## TOWN BONDS.

Mar. 27.	Estabrook & Co. . . . .	\$445 00
	Estabrook & Co. . . . .	\$445 00

## SINKING FUND.

Mar. 27.	Estabrook & Co. . . . .	\$2,691 20
	Balance . . . . .	\$2,691 20

## PARSONS FUND.

April 13.	. . . . .	\$200 00
	Balance . . . . .	\$200 00

## TAXES, 1895.

Mar. 1.	Balance due from collector . . . . .	\$172 71	
Feb'y 28.	C. F. Richardson . . . . .	\$55 86	
	Balance due . . . . .	116 85	
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		\$172 71	\$172 71



## TAXES, 1896.

Mar.	1.	Balance due from collector	.	.	.	.	\$2,309 16
	27.	W. B. Ward, collector	.	.	.	.	\$126 06
May	9.	" " "	.	.	.	.	130 97
July	10	" " "	.	.	.	.	100 00
Aug.	3.	" " "	.	.	.	.	199 01
	19	" " "	.	.	.	.	135 09
Feb'y	13.	C. F. Richardson	.	.	.	.	350 00
	28.	" "	.	.	.	.	34 81
		Balance due	.	.	.	.	1,233 22
							<u>\$2,309 16</u>
							\$2,309 16

TAXES, 1897.

Mar.	1.	Balance due from collector				\$7,168 28	
	27.	W. B. Ward, collector	.	.	.		\$300 14
Apr.	18.	" " "	.	.	.		142 31
May	9.	" " "	.	.	.		229 29
	24.	" " "	.	.	.		100 58
June	24.	" " "	.	.	.		131 96
July	3.	" " "	.	.	.		132 12
	28.	" " "	.	.	.		210 50
Aug.	3.	" " "	.	.	.		174 55
		" " "	.	.	.		142 53
	26.	" " "	.	.	.		125 00
Sept.	26.	" " "	.	.	.		183 68
		" " "	.	.	.		120 00
	29.	" " "	.	.	.		193 00
Nov.	11.	C. F. Richardson, collector	.	.	.		400 00
Dec.	9.	" " "	.	.	.		400 00
1900.							
Jan.	30.	C. F. Richardson, collector	.	.	.		253 72
Feb.	28.	" " "	.	.	.		14 49
		Abatement	.	.	.		44 80
		Estate W. B. Ward	.	.	.		267 80
		Balance due	.	.	.		3,602 81
						<u>\$7,168 28</u>	<u>\$7,168 28</u>

## TAXES, 1898.

Mar.	1.	Balance due from collector	\$12,886 58						
	25.	W. B. Ward, collector	.	.	.	.	.	437 11	
	27.	" "	.	.	.	.	.	200 00	
April	18.	" "	.	.	.	.	.	116 53	
	4.	" "	.	.	.	.	.	175 00	
May	2.	" "	.	.	.	.	.	171 64	
	9.	" "	.	.	.	.	.	115 29	
	24.	" "	.	.	.	.	.	108 13	
June	5.	" "	.	.	.	.	.	148 00	
	24.	" "	.	.	.	.	.	252 99	
July	3.	" "	.	.	.	.	.	203 35	
	28.	" "	.	.	.	.	.	680 01	
Aug.	3.	" "	.	.	.	.	.	309 53	
	4.	" "	.	.	.	.	.	304 37	
	23.	" "	.	.	.	.	.	103 33	
Sept.	26.	" "	.	.	.	.	.	96 00	
Nov.	20.	C. F. Richardson	.	.	.	.	.	400 00	
Dec.	12.	" "	.	.	.	.	.	1,000 00	
Feb'y	24.	" "	.	.	.	.	.	600 00	
	28.	" "	.	.	.	.	.	16 09	
		Abatement	.	.	.	.	.	49 28	
		W. B. Ward estate	.	.	.	.	.	428 06	
		Balance due	.	.	.	.	.	\$6,971 87	
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								\$12,886 58	\$12,886 58

## TAXES, 1899.

July	29.	Tax assessed	.	.	.	\$29,519 22
		Overlayings	.	.	.	560 52
		Additional assessments	.	.	.	23 40
		" "	.	.	.	204 20
		State and county tax	.	.	.	2,856 76

Aug.	7.	W. B. Ward, collector	.	.	.	.	\$246 00
	9.	" "	"	.	.	.	440 20
	12.	" "	"	.	.	.	349 00
	23.	" "	"	.	.	.	140 20
	26.	" "	"	.	.	.	169 60
	31.	" "	"	.	.	.	217 50
Sept.	11.	" "	"	.	.	.	192 88
	18.	" "	"	.	.	.	1,204 70
	19.	" "	"	.	.	.	919 70
	21.	" "	"	.	.	.	130 00
	23.	" "	"	.	.	.	476 50
	25.	" "	"	.	.	.	226 00
	26.	" "	"	.	.	.	1,843 80
	27.	" "	"	.	.	.	270 00
	28.	" "	"	.	.	.	554 36
	29.	" "	"	.	.	.	355 00
	30.	" "	"	.	.	.	190 80
Oct.	2.	" "	"	.	.	.	1,926 10
		" "	"	.	.	.	412 40
		" "	"	.	.	.	4 00
		" "	"	.	.	.	22 00
Nov.	1.	C. F. Richardson, collector	.	.	.	.	2,500 00
	4.	" "	"	.	.	.	1,500 00
	11.	" "	"	.	.	.	400 00
	25.	" "	"	.	.	.	400 00
Dec.	12.	" "	"	.	.	.	400 00
		" "	"	.	.	.	1,000 00
Jan'y	2.	" "	"	.	.	.	1,500 00
	9.	" "	"	.	.	.	1,500 00
	24.	" "	"	.	.	.	300 00
Feb'y	28.	" "	"	.	.	.	843 28
		Abatement	.	.	.	.	106 00
		W. B. Ward estate	.	.	.	.	233 26
		Balance due	.	.	.	.	12,190 82

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## APPROPRIATIONS.

1899.			
Mar.	Schools, care of rooms and fuel	\$7,600 00	
	School supplies . . . . .	700 00	
	Transportation of scholars . . . . .	2,000 00	
	Repairs on school buildings . . . . .	100 00	
	Superintendent of schools . . . . .	750 00	
	High school fittings . . . . .	200 00	
	Overdrafts . . . . .	3,930 22	
	Highways and bridges . . . . .	3,000 00	
	Incidentals . . . . .	1,500 00	
	Fire department . . . . .	448 00	
	Support of poor . . . . .	2,500 00	
	Collection of taxes . . . . .	350 00	
	Abatement of taxes . . . . .	300 00	
	Hydrants . . . . .	384 00	
	Lakeview cemetery . . . . .	50 00	
	North and Centre cemeteries . . . . .	50 00	
	Library . . . . .	500 00	
	Interest on town debt . . . . .	3,000 00	
	Electric lights . . . . .	357 00	
	Salaries . . . . .	1,300 00	
	Decoration day . . . . .	50 00	
	Repairs on engine house . . . . .	100 00	
	New school house, Cochrane . . . . .	1,000 00	
	Finishing and furnishing room high school house . . . . .	1,150 00	
	School house loan . . . . .	1,100 00	
Apr. 22.	Decoration Day . . . . .	100 00	
		—————	\$32,519 22

## OUTSTANDING CLAIMS.

Town bonds, due March 1, 1919, 4%	\$42,000 00
Water " " Aug. 1, 1913, "	11,000 00
" " " Oct. 7, 1902 "	4,000 00
" " " July 27, 1903, "	1,000 00

Draper Library Fund. 6%	.	.	.	.	\$500 00
Allen	"	"	.	.	1,000 00
Childs	"	"	.	.	100 00
Donation	"	"	.	.	1,300 00
Loker	"	5%	.	.	2,000 00
James S Draper	"	6%	.	.	500 00
School house loan, \$1,100, payable Nov. 1,					
each year, until paid in full	.	.	.	.	7,700 00
					<hr/> \$71,100 00

## Auditor's Report.

HENRY F. LEE,

In account with the TOWN OF WAYLAND.

### TOTAL RECEIPTS.

Mar. 1, 1899.

Cash balance . . .	\$2,573 02
W. G. Roby fund . .	28,000 00
Estabrook & Co. . .	47,312 53
Overseers of Poor . .	1,393 53
W. B. Ward, interest .	164 59
Pool licenses . . .	4 00
Parsons fund . . .	200 00
Street R. R. tax . . .	198 41
Rent of hall . . .	42 00
Temporary loans . .	17,000 00
License . . . . .	1,300 00
Court fines . . . .	56 44
State treas. . . . .	944 38
“ “ cor. tax . . .	2,121 97
“ “ bank tax . . .	704 06
Military aid . . . .	72 00
State aid . . . . .	1,136 00
Street R. R. . . . .	209 53
A. S. Morse . . . .	1 00
Donation fund . . .	12 00
G. F. Keep . . . . .	5 00

### TOTAL EXPENDITURES.

Schools . . . . .	\$8,016 88
School supplies . . .	707 50
“ transportation . .	1,693 00
“ repairs . . . . .	75 92
“ supt. . . . .	750 00
Highways . . . . .	3,254 07
Incidentals . . . .	2,063 82
Fire department . . .	448 00
Coll. taxes . . . . .	75 00
Lakeview cemetery . .	43 35
N. & C. “ . . . .	50 41
Cemetery account . .	74 06
Library . . . . .	610 29
Decoration day . . .	143 82
Poor account . . . .	4,061 68
Abatement (order) . .	12 32
Electric lights . . .	280 20
Interest . . . . .	3,802 31
School house loan . .	1,100 00
Salaries . . . . .	1,451 39
Illegal sale of liquor .	17 00

S Russell . . .	\$1 00	State tax . . .	\$1,230 52
Met. water tax . . .	30 00	County tax . . .	1,626 24
Excise tax . . .	174 60	Temporary loans . . .	24,000 00
County treasurer . . .	220 58	Water com. orders . . .	2,576 22
L. K. Lovell . . .	16 25	Contingent . . .	2,693 57
E. C. Davis . . .	22 62	Library fund . . .	12,760 00
Int. on taxes, C.F.R. . . .	501 22	Engine house . . .	100 00
Water Rates . . .	1,886 25	High school . . .	1,150 00
G. B. Howe . . .	19 11	Town bonds . . .	44,500 00
Int on library fund . . .	630 25	Cash balance . . .	18,966 95
Taxes . . .	31,382 18		
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	\$138,334 52		\$138,334 52

## TRIAL BALANCE.

March 1, 1900.		Unexpended balances :	
Cash . . .	\$18,966 95	Schools . . .	\$903 53
Due from collector . . .	24,114 57	Trans scholars . . .	401 98
Overdrafts :		School repairs . . .	38 17
School supplies . . .	7 50	Fitting high school . . .	249 72
Incidentals . . .	563 82	Overdrafts . . .	168 87
Salaries . . .	151 39	Highways . . .	328 47
Interest account . . .	162 31	Fire department . . .	448 00
Water commis'rs . . .	640 00	Collection taxes . . .	275 00
		Lakeview ceme'ry . . .	9 77
		Cemetery acct . . .	147 51
		Decoration day . . .	13 80
		Poor account . . .	252 07
		Abatements . . .	83 60
		Electric lights . . .	96 74
		Contingent acct . . .	1,427 86
		Library fund . . .	15,870 25
		New school house . . .	1,000 00
		Sinking fund . . .	2,691 20
		Parsons fund . . .	200 00
		Temporary loans . . .	20,000 00
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	\$44,606 54		\$44,606 54

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